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IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please add the following new paragraph at page 8, after line 7:

-- Fig. 1A is a cross-sectional view of Fig. 1 taken along 1A-1A.--

Please replace the paragraph at page 9, line 3 with the following amended paragraph:

-- The first embodiment, illustrated in FIG. 1, is a conventional cylindrical or frustro-

conical waxed paper cup 10, but having a concave transparent plastic cup cover 12 formed by an

inverted dome which may optionally include concentric or spiral ridges or ripples 14. As seen

from the cross-sectional view shown in Fig. 1A, the cylindrical or frustoconical cup 10 has a

substantially cylindrical wall 112, a closed bottom 110, and a rim 100 surrounding and defining

an open top 116. The cup 10 defines an interior volume 114. As seen in Fig. 1, the concentric

circles of the inverted dome cover are stepped in sections having a different radius of curvature,

in order to direct the roaches down to the bottom-positioned circular aperture 16 having a hinged

flap 18 that will open with the weight of the roach (not shown) to drop the roach down to the

bottom of the cup 10 where bait 20 (in dashed form) is disposed. The cover 12 includes a

peripheral lip 120 (see Fig. 1A), which forms a snap fit with the rim 110 (see Fig. 1A), of the cup

10. Flap 18 may be connected to cover 12 by a living hinge, and is fairly resilient so that the flap

18 returns to its original position covering the aperture 16 after the roach falls to the bottom 110

of the cup 10. In this embodiment, the roach cannot crawl out of the trap due to the downward

curve of the concave cover 12, and the flap 18 covering aperture 16.--

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